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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION FOR RESPONSE WITHIN THE THIRD MONTH

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

A Non-Final Office Action was mailed to the undersigned on 8 June 2007. The Office Action set forth a three-month response date of 8 September 2007.

The Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of time, until 10 December 2007 (as 8 December 2007 is a Saturday), to respond to the Non-Final Office Action.

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CONCLUSION:

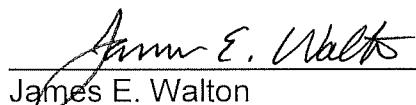
The \$525.00 extension fee is being paid via a designated credit card. No other fees are deemed to be necessary; however, the undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees that are necessary, or credit any overpayments, to **Deposit Account No. 502806**.

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Respectfully submitted,

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